

Dear Mr. Backes,

10/7/91

Please excuse my haste, brevity and the paper I'm using up. And please accept my thanks for your kind comments.

You should have received the books by now. We usually ship promptly and did with yours.

We have not found the master xerox but have learned that a new xeroxing shop is to open here.

I have not looked at "The Men Who Killed Kennedy" and unless I'm told that there is something both factual and new I won't. When I get a cassette. We do not have cable. Whoever told you it is one of the best documentaries on the JFK assassination is a fan of unproven and unprivable conspiracy theories and/or knows nothing about the established fact that is available.

When Nigel Turner was here I refused to be filmed without the assurance he gave me, that he would not present any "solution" because if he did, I would not be part of it. He did give me his word and he broke it. He may use more of me than he had and did not use in the original show but the only use he had for me was to give his theorizing credibility.

Because the crime itself was never officially investigated there are no credible leads to be followed. People try and will their suspicions and beliefs into reality and when there is no restraint of opposition can make them attractive. All such shows mislead and deceived the people. There is but a single good documentary, "Reasonable Doubt," by Gerard Selby. It is commercially available.

There is not a single word even close to truth in the entire Ricky White fabrication. Even if he had presented it as a theory it would have been ridiculous. It is a cheap and to a degree successful attempt at exploitation and commercialization. So, it could not have been his father in the moorman picture.

Thanks for your offer of help. I do appreciate it.

Sincerely,

Thanks also for the SASL

Harold Weisberg